

Kaiser "Chief of the Twelfth Bulgarian Infantry Regiment." To be set at the head of such a regiment would doubtless be grateful to the Kaiser; such an honor would replace a number of honorary commands which he once held in detested England. But if the Kaiser's allies really want to gratify his soul to its depths why does not the Sultan give him the honorary Colonency of the Turkish Regiment specially detailed to direct and lead the operations in Armenia?

I had two books. I have been travelling ever since, or I should have sent it back before this."

Sidney turned it over and over. It was still dear, but how dingy and battered it looked!

"I wish I had treated it better," he said. "If I had, it would look almost as new as Pet's, and I should have learned faster, too. I'm glad it's back, but I'm not sorry it went."—Youth's Companion.

THE QUEEN MOTHER.

Alexandra Acts as a Waitress at Soldiers' Canteens.

Queen Alexandra, mother of King George V., has taken a particular interest in the work of the soldiers' canteens, which furnish coffee and tea to all men in uniform at the principal London railway stations. On several occasions the Queen Mother has insisted on taking a turn at the coffee urn, serving the customary hour and a half trick with the other voluntary workers at one or another of the stations. The soldiers seldom recognize Her Majesty for some time, and she takes especial delight in serving them incognito and receiving their "Thank you, missus," just as it is given to the other workers in the canteen.

Perhaps the best of the Queen's customers was a Kentish farmer who looked in at the London Bridge station canteen one foggy night. He was evidently neither a soldier nor sailor and was distinctly not in uniform. But somebody whispered to him that the Queen Mother was serving coffee. He approached one of the other waitresses and asked if, supposing he gave a little money to the cause, the Queen would give him a cup of coffee with her own hand.

Queen Alexandra readily consented. The farmer from Kent had his coffee, and then, coming inside the counter, he wrote out a check for \$25.

Soon after he took his train for Kent, and the next thing heard from him was in the form of a check for \$250, being money which he raised in subscriptions among his neighbors. A fortnight later he appeared in person with \$125 more, and declared that he was not going to rest until he had brought his total up to \$1,000.

How to Save Your Eyes

Try this Free Prescription.

Do your eyes give you trouble? Do you already wear eyeglasses or spectacles? Thousands of people wear these "windows" who might easily dispense with them. You may be one of these, and it is your duty to save your eyes before it is too late. The eyes are neglected more than any other organ of the entire body. After you finish your day's work you sit down and rest your muscles, but how about your eyes? Do you rest them? You know you do not. You rest or do something else that keeps your eyes busy; you work your eyes until you go to bed. That is why so many have strained eyes and finally other eye troubles that threaten partial or total blindness. Eyeglasses are merely crutches; they never cure. This free prescription, which has benefited the eyes of so many, may work equal wonders for you. Use it a short time. Would you like your eye troubles to disappear as if by magic? Try this prescription. Go to the nearest wideawake drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets; fill a two-ounce bottle with warm water, drop in one tablet and allow it to thoroughly dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. Just note how quickly your eyes clear up and how soon inflammation will disappear. Don't be afraid to use it; it is absolutely harmless. Many who are now blind might have saved their eyes had they started to care for them in time. This is a simple treatment, but marvelously effective in multitudes of cases. Now that you have been warned don't delay a day, but do what you can to save your eyes and you are likely to thank us as long as you live for publishing this prescription. If your own druggist cannot fill this prescription, send \$1 to the Valmus Drug Co., Toronto, for a complete Bon-Opto Home Treatment outfit-tablets and all.

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does in the fresh air as often as she should. He catches colds which rack his little system; his stomach and bowels get out of order and he becomes peevish and cross. To guard against this the mother should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. They regulate the stomach and bowels and break up colds. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

MUCH MONEY IS NEEDED.

Briton's Financial Burden For All to Share.

Britain alone will need \$9,000,000,000 to run her share of the great war during the present year. This statement is made by a representative committee of Britain's leading bankers' who have issued a signed manifesto to the nation impressing on the people the need for the strictest economy in order to assist in raising this huge sum.

In the manifesto the bankers say: "In a long war success depends mainly upon respective financial resources of the combatants and the consequent power of one of them to maintain or to add to its fighting strength when the other is declining or is not capable of expansion." Therefore the enemy's efforts have been directed to three essential matters:

(1) "To seize victory before the forces of the allies could be mobilized in overwhelming strength.

(2) "To prevent the allies from making or purchasing sufficient equipment and ammunition for their ever-expanding forces.

The endeavors of the enemy to accomplish these objects have been completely frustrated by the co-ordination of the armies, of the financial resources of the equipment and of the munitions of the allied nations. The success of the allies in defeating the enemy's efforts to cripple them in men, munitions and money before they could assemble their full strength has now brought the war nearer to its final stage.

Indeed only one thing is now needed to command victory. The allies have assembled new armies of overwhelming strength in France, in Russia, in Italy and in Great Britain and everything needed to equip them and to supply them with munitions has been secured or is in process of manufacture. The only thing remaining to be done is to provide all the money needed to support those vast armies of new men and to pay for the vast quantities of arms and munitions now being manufactured by all parts of the world."

each in the dawn of a new era which shall restore her character and win back for her children the honor we have forfeited by barbarous cruelties and insatiable lust have written the above with heavy hearts.

Napoleon failed. The Kaiser must fail, and there can be no peace until he has been deposed from the throne and when it was too late Coloney of the Turkish Regiment specially detailed to direct and lead the operations in Armenia?

Would Ban Tobacco, Too.

To such extremes is the British economy campaign being pushed that the suggestion has even been made in the House of Commons that tobacco should be banned. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, however, favors the increased consumption of tobacco, in view of the fact that the import duty is at least four times the amount paid away in gold to America for its purchase.

An Armed Peace.

"I haven't heard Nedore and his wife quarrelling for several days."

"No; they're not on speaking terms just now."

FOOD FACTS.

What An M.D. Learned.

A prominent physician went through a food experience which he makes public:

"It was my own experience that first led me to advocate Grape-Nuts food; and I also know from having prescribed it to convalescents and other weak patients that this food is a wonderful builder and restorer of nerve and brain tissue, as well as muscle. It improves the digestion and patients gain, just as I did in strength and weight, very rapidly.

"I was in such a low state that I had to give up my work entirely and go to the mountains, but two months there did not improve me; in fact I was not quite as well as when I left home. My food did not sustain me and it became plain that I must change.

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"There's a Reason." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

soldier jumps down into a trench full of enemies—as he must do when charging, unless he remains above to be shot—he is no longer able to use rifle or bayonet to advantage. He is like a man in a close crowd, who cannot draw back his weapon so as to make it effective. Accordingly we read of men taking off the bayonet to use it by hand, and also of men resorting to their fists."

A Large Dose.

Oswald—"My love for you is like the deep blue sea."

Clarissa (for such was her name)—"And I take it with the corresponding amount of salt."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Plenty of Assets.

"The lawyer next door had been forced into bankruptcy with big liabilities but no assets to speak of." "Why, a lawyer's assets are his liabilities."

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Tea Drinking Increases.

Tea drinking among the allies has shown an enormous increase since the war began, and in the past year the consumption in England alone has increased over 6,000,000 pounds, while France is drinking 10 times as much as they did before the war.

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"Famine" in Germany.

A representative of the Amsterdam Telegraaf, who has journeyed through Germany and Austria and furnishes a lengthy report on general conditions concludes his article by saying that famine prevails as far as the bulk of the workingclass population is concerned. The situation is becoming still worse, and the economic position is far from favorable. The people are daily becoming more downhearted. Their views are summed up in the remark: "We conquer every day, but we are none the better off for it."

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